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22 42. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *41* wherein the Consistency is less than about 400 P.sec(n-1).

22 43. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *41* wherein the solid polyol fatty acid polyester is selected from the group consisting of (i) a solid saturated polyol polyester and (ii) combinations of solid saturated polyol polyester with a solid diversely esterified polyol polyester; a polyol polyester polymer; or combinations of said diversely esterified polyol polyester and said solid polyester polymer.

23 44. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *43* wherein solid polyol fatty acid polyester comprises a solid saturated polyol polyester and a solid diversely esterified polyol polyester.

24 45. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *44* wherein the solid saturated polyol polyester and the solid diversely esterified polyol polyester are in the form of co-crystallized particles.

31 46. The flowable nondigestible oil composition of Claim *41* comprising, by weight, 50-99% of the liquid polyol fatty acid polyester, and 1-50 % of the solid polyol fatty acid polyester.

32 47. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *41* wherein the crystallized particles have a maximum dimension of from about 1 micron to about 30 microns.

25 48. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *44* wherein solid saturated polyol polyester is selected from hepta-substituted saturated fatty acid polyol polyester, octa-substituted saturated fatty acid polyol polyester, and mixtures thereof, having C₂₀-C₂₄ saturated fatty acid ester moieties, and wherein the solid diversely esterified polyol polyester is selected from hepta-substituted diversely esterified polyol polyesters, octa-substituted diversely esterified polyol polyesters, and mixtures thereof, having fatty acid ester moieties comprising a) long chain saturated fatty acid ester moieties, and b) dissimilar fatty acid ester moieties which are dissimilar from the long chain saturated fatty acid ester moieties and are selected from the group consisting of i) long chain unsaturated fatty acid ester moieties, ii) short chain saturated fatty acid ester moieties, and iii) mixtures thereof.

26 49. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim *48* wherein the solid sucrose polyester comprises at least 5% by weight sucrose octabehenate.

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33 50. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim 41 wherein the solid sucrose polyester has a complete melt point of at least about 60 °C.

27 51. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim 48 wherein the solid saturated polyol polyester comprises octa-behenate sucrose polyester, and wherein the solid diversely esterified polyol polyester comprises octa-saturated sucrose polyester wherein the esters are selected from behenate and a mixture of oleate and linoleate.

28 52. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim 48 wherein the solid polyol fatty acid polyester has fatty acid ester moieties comprising long chain saturated fatty acid ester moieties and long chain unsaturated fatty acid ester moieties in a ratio thereof of from 5:3 to about 7:1.

29 53. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim 48 wherein the ratio of long chain saturated fatty acid esters to long chain unsaturated fatty acid esters is from about 6:2 to about 6.5:1.5.

30 54. The flowable nondigestible oil composition according to Claim 48 further comprising temperature-sensitive food additives.

55. A process for making a flowable nondigestible oil composition comprising a liquid polyol fatty acid polyester having a complete melt point of less than about 37°C, and a solid polyol fatty acid polyester having a complete melt point of at least about 37°C, which process comprises the steps of:

- a) melting the nondigestible oil comprising the solid polyol fatty acid polyester and the liquid polyol fatty acid polyester,
- b) crystallizing at least a substantial portion of the solid polyol fatty acid polyester, and shearing the nondigestible oil composition during the step of crystallizing, thereby forming the solid polyol fatty acid polyester into crystallized particles, wherein the flowable nondigestible oil has a Consistency in a temperature range of 20 °C to 40 °C of less than about 600 P.sec(n-1).

REMARKS

Application Amendments

By the amendments presented the specification has been re-written on Page 4 to correct an obvious mischaracterization.

Also by the amendments presented, new Claims 41-55 have been added as alternate means for claiming the compositions and processes of the present invention. Support for each of the new claims is found in the Applicant's original Claims 1-20, in the specification at Page 15, Lines 14-23 and as follows:

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